

BEFORE THE PUBLIC UTILITIES COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA

In the Matter of the Application of CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY (U 60 W), a corporation, for an order authorizing it to increase rates charged for water service in the ANTELOPE VALLEY district by \$60,300, or 5.8%, in 2003, by \$130,600 or 11.8% in 2004, by \$126,900, or 10.2%, in 2005, and \$127,500, or 9.3%, in 2006.

Application 02-11-021
(Filed November 8, 2002)

In the Matter of the Application of CALIFORNIA WATER SERVICE COMPANY (U 60 W), a corporation, for an order authorizing it to increase rates charged for water service in the KERN RIVER VALLEY district by \$913,200, or 46.9%, in 2003, by \$148,800, or 5.3%, in 2004, by \$137,500, or 4.6%, in 2005, and \$139,000, or 4.4%, in 2006.

Application 02-11-022
(Filed November 8, 2002)

**ADMINISTRATIVE LAW JUDGE'S RULING FOR
RECEIPT OF PREVIOUSLY REQUESTED INFORMATION**

California Water Service Company (CWS) was requested to submit indexes to its direct testimony at the May 6, 2003 evidentiary hearing, pursuant to Rule 68. Although Late-Filed Exhibits 1-A and 4-A were identified and reserved for receipt of those indexes, those exhibits have not yet been received.

Also at the evidentiary hearing, the Office of Ratepayer Advocates and CWS were requested to explain in the proposed settlement agreement how their respective Dominguez Water Company revenue neutrality adjustments were derived. Although it was explained in the settlement agreement how the agreed

upon revenue neutrality adjustments were derived from their individual estimates, there was not explanation on how those individual estimates were derived. CWS and ORA should submit a joint filing that explains how their individual revenue neutrality adjustments used for settlement discussions were derived.

This proceeding should not be submitted until the above-identified information has been received.

IT IS RULED that:

1. California Water Service Company (CWS) shall mail Late-Filed Exhibits 1-A and 4-A directly to the assigned Administrative Law Judge on or before August 8, 2003. A copy of these late-filed exhibits shall also be mailed to all parties of record.
2. CWS and the Office of Ratepayer Advocates shall jointly file an explanation of how their respective Dominguez Water Company revenue neutrality adjustments used for settlement discussions were derived. This filing shall be made with the Docket Office on or before August 8, 2003.
3. This proceeding shall be submitted on August 8, 2003.

Dated July 28, 2003, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ MICHAEL J. GALVIN

Michael J. Galvin
Administrative Law Judge

CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I certify that I have by mail this day served a true copy of the original attached Administrative Law Judge's Ruling for Receipt of Previously Requested Information on all parties of record in this proceeding or their attorneys of record.

Dated July 28, 2003, at San Francisco, California.

/s/ ELIZABETH LEWIS

Elizabeth Lewis

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